

RIOTING  
IN BOSTONMarked Opening of Polls in  
Municipal Election

## ONE MAN SENT TO HOSPITAL

Police Called on to Quell Disturbance in  
West End of City Early To-day.  
Betting Slightly Favored  
Fitzgerald.

Boston, Jan. 11.—Desperate rioting, which sent Ernest Smith, a lawyer, to the hospital and seriously injured Polling Inspector Delaney, marked the opening of the polls for the municipal election in the west end of Boston this morning. The police had to be called in order to quell the riotous crowd. Grave disturbance is believed to be likely before the day is over.

The betting this forenoon was ten to eight in favor of John F. Fitzgerald, a former mayor, against James J. Storrow, a banker. Nathaniel A. Taylor, a newspaper man, and Mayor George A. Hibbard, who sought re-election under Boston's new charter, are believed to be out of the running. There was a heavy vote early in the day. There are 113,000 registered voters.

Heavy details of police kept order at the polls after the early voting. During the course of the forenoon, the indications showed the heaviest vote ever cast in Boston. The odds at noon had changed so that they were even on Storrow and Fitzgerald, and Hibbard was showing some strength.

Lomaney was manager of a large part of Fitzgerald's campaign, while Storrow himself was on the firing line. This morning Storrow was in an altercation with an inspector in the Lomaney district, and blows were barely averted.

The present campaign dates from the day after the last election in December, 1907, when Mr. Fitzgerald, who had just been defeated, announced that he would again be a candidate, while his successful opponent, Mayor Hibbard, said he would serve but one term. Since then there has been an investigation into the Fitzgerald administration by the financial commission, which severely criticized many of his acts, while several city officials under him are now serving jail sentences.

Last spring the legislature devised a new city charter, which provided for continuance of the finance commission, but gave the people a chance to decide between one of the two plans. In November, the voters registered a preference for plan two, which gives the mayor or a four-year term, and turned the campaign into a non-partisan affair.

Half a dozen candidates sprang into the political arena but in the eleven weeks of campaigning all but four dropped out of the race.

VERMONT CANDIDATES  
PRESS THEIR CLAIMS

Editors Southwick and Auld Go To  
Washington to Tell Their Story  
of the Collectors' Fight.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 11.—The fight over the collectors' claims for the district of Vermont, which members of the Vermont delegation had hoped was practically settled a few days ago, was reopened yesterday, when Joseph Auld and J. L. Southwick of Burlington, arrived in this city to press their own candidates for the place. Each is said to have strong endorsements and Mr. Southwick's are now in Senator Dillingham's hands.

It is understood that both Auld and Southwick base their claims largely upon the fact that the emoluments of the Burlington office are so large that one term in that position is sufficient for Collector Darling or any other man. At this point their paths separate as each thinks he is entitled to the position.

The Vermont delegation is understood to be split over the question. Senator Page is represented as favoring a change in the collectorship, while his colleague, Senator Dillingham, is said to desire that Mr. Darling be reappointed.

## MARRIAGE CAUSED SENSATION.

Wealthy Woman Weds Slave Worker, to  
the Surprise of Friends.

Fairhaven, Jan. 11.—The marriage yesterday at Albany, N. Y., of Miss Mary Elizabeth Stannard, the wealthiest woman in this vicinity, and Hugh J. Davis, a slave worker, caused a great sensation here and was a complete surprise. Miss Stannard's father, the late Heman Stannard, inherited about \$600,000 from his father and at his death ten years ago, he had greatly increased his wealth. Miss Stannard, who is 30 years of age, has lived until recently with her brother in West Haven, but a year ago formed a warm friendship for the sisters of her late husband and spent much of her time with them. While at their home she met their brother and, although the two were often seen together, the townspeople suspected nothing but friendship as a reason for it. Mr. Davis is 26 years of age and is well liked. Miss Stannard and Mr. Davis went to Broadbald, N. Y., last week and purchased a stock farm there, but returned to this place Saturday. Yesterday they went to Albany, where they were married in the afternoon. They left at once for their new home. Francis Jones of Albany was best man and Miss Elizabeth Davis, a sister of the groom, was bridesmaid.

The bride, whose fortune is estimated at \$200,000 or \$300,000, has been an active worker in the Methodist church. Her husband was a slave worker on the quarry of Jones and Morris on Scotch Hill, where his father also works.

PAULHAN LEADING  
THE MEN-BIRDS

Started Big Crowd at Los Angeles  
with His Flight Yesterday and is  
Planning to Break the Record  
This Afternoon.

Los Angeles, Cal., Jan. 11.—Louis Paulhan is preparing to make a new record in his aeroplanes this afternoon. He seems likely to carry off all the honors of the meet as Curtis, so far, has failed to demonstrate that his machine is reliable. The features of to-day's program are speed races with Curtis, Paulhan, Mason, Hamilton and Willard. This is the last day of the eleventh trials and all who cannot demonstrate that their machines are capable of rising will be scratched from the entry list.

Making a sudden and dramatic appearance while the 20,000 spectators were watching the slow flight of two dripping balloons at Aviation park, Louis Paulhan yesterday threw the through into a frenzy of enthusiasm by a spectacular flight of 8 1-2 minutes in a Farman biplane and then added two other flights of 10 minutes, two seconds, and 29 minutes, two seconds.

In two last flights, Paulhan was piloting his dirigibles around the course when the Frenchman appeared suddenly out of a gulley hidden from the grandstand, circled the course three times, went out across the country, came back over the grandstand and alighted in the center of the field.

In two last flights, Paulhan gave a remarkable exhibition of control over his machine. He was cheered madly.

The conditions were auspicious at first. The sun shone brightly and there was but a semblance of a breeze from the east. Towards noon, however, the sky became overcast and the wind finally whipped to the west, blowing strongly.

INSANE BARBER  
ATTACKS CUSTOMER

Policeman Broke in Door of Shop and  
Saved Life of William Porter  
of McKeesport, Pa.  
Last Night.

Pittsburg, Pa., Jan. 11.—William Porter of McKeesport, narrowly escaped having his throat cut by John Robinson, a barber, who went insane while shaving him in McKeesport last night. Robinson ran to the door and broke in, and Porter became nervous and bounded from the chair. Robinson locked the door to the barber shop and chased Porter about the place, finally catching by the hair of the head. He was about to draw his razor across Porter's throat, when a policeman, hearing Porter's screams, broke in the door. Robinson ran to a drawer and pulled a revolver, but it was knocked from his hand before he could shoot. Robinson was later adjudged insane and returned to the county home from which he was discharged several months ago.

## AGAIN SUSPECT LEPROSY.

John R. Early Examined Last Night, by  
Special Committee.

New York, Jan. 11.—John R. Early, upon whose case medical men have been divided, is in reality a leper according to a decision rendered last night by a special committee of the society of medical jurisprudence.

The decision of the committee is in direct opposition to the views held by Dr. L. Duncanson Bulkeley of this city, an eminent skin disease expert.

Soon after the early examination at the meeting last night and under the microscope barrel, were revealed, which the physicians present held to indicate leprosy. Enough doubt was injected into the case, however, to prevent adoption of the report, which was sent back to the committee.

## OLEO FIGHT ON.

New England Stands for the Present  
Law.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 11.—Many New England congressmen are going to do all they can to prevent the repeal of the oleomargarine law.

The New England farmers are largely interested in dairy products and are said to be reaping a golden harvest by reason of the present high prices of butter. They do not want to risk losing this prosperity through legislation reducing the tax on oleomargarine that is sold in competition with butter. Vermont makes more dairy products than any other New England state. At a recent meeting of the Vermont dairy-men, resolutions were adopted condemning the proposed repeal of the oleo law.

## LIMITATION OF ARMAMENTS.

King Victor Negotiating for Conference  
of European Powers.

Rome, Jan. 11.—A semi-official announcement was made today that King Victor, in order to secure support of a plan providing international limitations of armaments, is negotiating for a conference of the European powers next spring or winter. The king believes that success is certain from a recent meeting with a deputy from the parliament free commission, who, the king stated, was still trying to interest the heads of the European governments in the scheme.

## AUTO STRUCK CAR.

Three Killed and Two Injured at Atlanta, Ga.

Atlanta, Ga., Jan. 11.—Three men were killed and two others injured, one seriously, when the automobile in which they were riding collided with a street car on the Peach Tree road here late yesterday afternoon. The dead are: William W. Garner, aged 21; Frank George, aged 21; Harold E. George, aged 16.

W. H. George, father of the dead brothers, an automobile dealer, was slightly injured, and F. S. Noble, the driver, was seriously injured.

CAPITALIST  
TWOBLY DEAD

Director of Twenty Railroads  
and Over 30 Corporations

## ALSO LEADING CLUB MAN

He Was Married to Daughter of William  
K. Vanderbilt—He Had Been  
Ill for Several  
Weeks.

New York, Jan. 11.—R. McKay Twombly, a capitalist and son-in-law of William K. Vanderbilt, died today at his country home in Madison, N. J., the cause being heart disease. He had been ill several weeks.

Mr. Twombly was a director in twenty different railroads and an officer and director in more than thirty other corporations. He was also largely interested in club life, being a member of more than ten organizations of that nature in New York.

He was a Harvard graduate, having taken a degree from that institution in 1871. In 1877 he was married to Florence Adele, daughter of William K. Vanderbilt.

ARRESTED IN VERMONT,  
TAKEN TO FITCHBURG

Rowe W. Hastings Is Charged with  
Robbing Boston & Maine Railroad  
Station at Ashburnham,  
Mass.

Fitchburg, Mass., Jan. 11.—Rowe W. Hastings, aged 21 years, was locked up at the central police station last night upon a complaint charging him with breaking, entering and larceny from the Boston & Maine station at Ashburnham, on Dec. 18. Hastings was brought from Brookline, Vt., where he was arrested on Sunday. He refused to return without requisition papers, and these were arranged for, yesterday by Deputy Sheriff Richardson with Gov. Dummer.

The Boston & Maine railroad station was broken into on the night of Dec. 18, and mileage books to the value of \$100 and a small sum of money were taken. Hastings, who had been living at Ashburnham, disappeared on the night of the break. His sudden disappearance, together with other evidence that Inspector Flaherty of the local police unearthed, convinced the police at Ashburnham that he might know something about the break. He was traced to Lowell, and when the police were about to arrest him he disappeared. He was last seen at Brookline, where his arrest followed.

Hastings has served time at the Concord reformatory for a crime of larceny, committed in this city.

## EAGLES INSTALL OFFICERS.

Past President James R. Coutts Was  
Installing Officer.

The officers of Barreerie, No. 1073, Fraternal Order of Eagles, were installed last evening at the regular meeting. Past President James R. Coutts acted as installing officer, assisted by Conductor James Walker.

The officers are: Worthy president, P. F. McCarthy; vice-president, R. J. Duncanson; chaplain, James Hastings; secretary, C. A. Lundgren; treasurer, D. W. Faulkner; trustees, O. C. Russell, George Young, Alexander Adams, inside guard, P. W. Langlois; outside guard, John Renney; physician, J. W. Jackson, M. D.; conductor, James Sheriff.

## ELEVEN CANDIDATES.

Seven for Regular Medical Certificates  
and for Reciprocity Rights.

The state board of medical registration is holding a three days' session at the state house in Montpelier, where seven candidates for regular registration and four old practitioners, who wait for the reciprocal certificates recently adopted. During the year this board has granted 33 regular certificates of registration and two of the reciprocal nature.

## COMING DEFERRED.

Vermont's New Bishop Has Not Received  
Papal Yet.

Burlington, Jan. 11.—Word from the Rev. J. J. Rice received through Bishop Bevens at the Episcopal residence announces that news of his appointment has been received by him from official sources. His papers will probably be in his possession by the latter part of the month. Before these are made out, he will take the oath before the papal delegate at Washington.

## EXPECT BIG SHOW.

St. Albans Poultry Exhibit Receiving  
Many Entries.

St. Albans, Jan. 11.—The 13th annual exhibition of the Vermont State Poultry association will be held at city hall here next week Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday and the entries for the show have already been among the largest in the history of the association, and now applications for entries are received every day.

## WEBSTERVILLE.

The first meeting of the mission study bureau of the St. John the Baptist church will be held at the home of Mrs. J. J. Phillips, Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Mrs. Hosh and Mrs. Gifford will be the leaders. All are invited.

## WILL PROBABLY REBUILD.

Better Blocks to Replace Those Burned  
in Burlington.

Burlington, Jan. 11.—Max L. Powell, manager of the Hotel Burlington, which was burned Saturday night, started for home from Washington, D. C., last night, and until he arrives, it will not be possible to say what will be done about rebuilding. However, it is expected that a new hotel will be built. Mrs. W. K. Walker has not decided definitely upon her plans for the future. If negotiations which have been pending for the sale of the Walker block cannot now be satisfactorily completed, she will erect a modern four-story building with an elevator. Her safe was found intact with a coating of ice, at the head of the stairs on the second floor in the ruins. Neither fire nor water had reached the papers within.

C. L. Soule & Co. have an office at 211 College street and were yesterday doing business in all the standard brands of cigars and tobacco, which they carry. They will not reopen the whole of their business until they find permanent quarters, which will be very soon.

The building just north of the Hotel Burlington, owned by F. H. Parker, was insured for \$3,000 with Powell & Marks. There was a slight damage to the building by both fire and water, and the stock of Philip Levin, the tailor, who occupied quarters in the building, was also damaged by water. Mr. Levin has insurance with Powell & Marks.

Among those who lost everything except the clothing they wore at the time of the fire in the Hotel Burlington, was Miss Carrie L. Drew, housekeeper in the hotel. When the fire broke out, Miss Drew did creditable work in helping the frightened girls in the house and while engaged at this did nothing toward saving her own belongings. As a result, everything, including some fine paintings and costly jewelry, are a total loss.

NEW DIRECTOR  
ADDED TO BOARD

W. M. Holden Elected to People's National Bank Board at Annual  
Meeting To-day.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the People's National bank was held this forenoon in the directors' room of the bank in the Worthen block. The old board of directors was re-elected, and one new director was added to the board. The new member is William M. Holden of the Trow & Holden Manufacturing company.

The full board now is composed of C. W. Melcher, C. W. Averill, F. D. Ladd, W. D. Smith, A. J. Young, F. N. Bailey, W. C. Melcher, C. W. Averill, F. D. Ladd, W. D. Smith, A. J. Young, F. N. Bailey, W. C. Melcher, C. W. Averill, F. D. Ladd, W. D. Smith, A. J. Young, F. N. Bailey.

The reports showed that the bank has had one of the most prosperous years since its organization, six years ago. During the past year nearly \$100,000 in deposits have been added and the deposits were the largest of any year. Although the bank has been in operation but six years, it now has a surplus and undivided profits of practically \$14,000. All the directors of the bank were present except Ira C. Child of Washington.

NEGRO SHOOTER  
TAKEN TO ASYLUM

John A. Thomas Is To Be Observed for  
Signs of Insanity, Having Been  
Taken There Yesterday.

Burlington, Jan. 11.—John A. Thomas, the negro, who shot Policeman John Ryan in the thigh of the left leg, and who is charged with assault with a dangerous weapon, with intent to kill, was yesterday taken to the state asylum at Waterbury, by the police.

The commitment papers were issued by Judge W. W. Miles, the latter part of December.

Thomas is bound over to county court on the charge of assault with a dangerous weapon with intent to kill, and when his trial comes by the county court, it is presumed, will be taken up. At Waterbury he will be closely watched and the observations taken there can be used as evidence. Thomas is entitled to a jury to act upon his sanity.

Hyman Holcher, a local man, who was indicted in a hearing held on Saturday at the probate court, was also taken yesterday to Waterbury.

## NEW CORPORATIONS.

Elks Home Association of Montpelier  
Brattleboro Company Increases Stock.

The Elks Home association of Montpelier has filed articles of association at the secretary of state's office in Montpelier, the signers being M. L. Wood, R. C. Rogers and W. N. Thierault, all of Montpelier. The capital stock is \$5,000, and the purpose is to take over the Elks home property on Barre street, to use for a clubhouse.

The White River Chair company of Brattleboro has filed notice of the increase of its capital stock from \$40,000 to \$200,000.

## MASQUERADED AS MAN.

Woman Worked As Deckhand on Lum-  
ber Barge.

Montreal, Jan. 11.—The warden of the jail yesterday discovered that a person committed last week under the name William Dubois, 45 years old, is a woman. She admitted having masqueraded as a man for 83 years most of the time gaining her living as a deckhand on lumber barges. "William" is now in the infirmary of the jail wearing a skirt, which she finds most awkward.

PEOPLE FLED  
BEFORE FIRE

Lucky Escape in Laconia, N.  
H., Last Night

## CAUSE OF FIRE NOT KNOWN

Double-tenement House Gutted and Burn-  
Destroyed—People Got Out, Al-  
though Very Scantily Clad for  
Cold Weather.

Laconia, N. H., Jan. 11.—An alarm from box 67, a little before 11 o'clock last night, called the department to a fire, which destroyed a barn and gutted a two-tenement house on Lawrence court, owned by the J. P. Lawrence estate, and occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Walter Sanborn and two children and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Fournier.

The fire, which was started in some manner unknown, in the barn, was discovered at about the same time by several people in the vicinity. Mrs. J. P. Sanborn, who lives in the next house, saw the flames breaking from the barn, and called her son, Otis Sanborn, who ran to the house and awakened the family of Walter Sanborn and carried out the two children, Charles H., aged 5, and Ida, 8 years of age. The women escaped scantily clad and were cared for at the home of J. P. Sanborn, Editor Sinclair, a roomer in the family of Joseph Fournier, was awakened by the smoke and aroused the family, which escaped clad in what clothing they could hastily pick up.

On the arrival of the department, the barn was a mass of flames and the firemen devoted their attention to the house and succeeded in confining most of the fire to the ell.

Walter Sanborn lost the larger part of his household furnishings, but Mr. Fournier succeeded in removing the major part of his goods. The damage to the buildings will amount to \$25,000, covered by insurance. Mr. Sanborn's loss is \$200, with no insurance.

## FUNERAL LARGELY ATTENDED.

Services for Mrs. G. Piccolini Were  
Held Yesterday Afternoon.

The funeral of Mrs. G. Piccolini was held at 3:30 yesterday afternoon from her late home in the A. Tomasi building. The rooms were filled with friends and a delegation was present from the lodge of Old Ladies, which Mrs. Piccolini recently joined. The bearers were G. Montis, L. Marchetti, A. Cammosi, L. Ciardelli, A. Palo and Charles Stefanelli. Interment was made in the Catholic cemetery.

There was a wealth of floral tributes, the following a partial list: Carnations from Mr. and Mrs. Edward Carpenter; Mrs. Mary Solari; Mr. and Mrs. Donald McPhee; Mr. and Mrs. A. Tomasi; A. Cammosi; Tibaldo Gabelloni; carnations and hyacinths, Mr. and Mrs. R. Clout, wreath from the L. O. O. F. U. from the R. E. O. O. F. U. employees, Ella Miles, Howard Rydberg and Miss Allie Clark; carnations, chrysanthemums and hyacinths, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Duncanson and Mrs. B. Butler.

## TALK OF THE TOWN.

Ice skating afternoon and evening at  
Castle Park rink.

Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Levin went to Burlington last evening for a few days' visit with relatives.

Van Mix, cashier at the C. V. freight office, went to Springfield, Mass., last night for a two weeks' visit at the home of his parents.

W. D. Quimby returned today to his home in Boston after a business visit in the city.

K. Hill of Plainfield was a business visitor in this city today.

Leon Bertram and V. Beaulieu went to Lanesboro today, where they expect to work.

Oliver Stone, Arthur Martin and Guy Thompson left today for Warren, N. H., to work in the woods.

Tyler Thompson of South Main street, Jerry Murphy and John Haley of Granville left last night for Salda, Col., where they will reside.

Among arrivals at the Hotel Otis yesterday were P. S. Dow, Hardwick; J. H. Morris, Alburgh; M. J. Morrison, New York; A. McLaughlin, J. McLaughlin, Ottawa, Ont.; H. J. Daigle, Burlington; Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Wright, Lowell, Mass.; William D. Hayward, Denver, Colo.; G. W. Strohbridge, Chicago; B. Heath, Boston; H. E. Rogers, Fitchburg, Mass.

Lester M. Dow of Rutland was a business visitor in this city today.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Reed have returned to their home in Calcut, after a visit at the home of E. H. Clark.

P. A. Burton of Saratoga, N. Y., was a business visitor in this city today.

James Nicol of Laurel street was taken to the City hospital yesterday for treatment.

These are great skating days at the Castle Park rink. Large crowds of ice-skaters, with their gentlemen friends, are enjoying the sport every afternoon and evening. Join in.

The lecture on forestry by State Forester Haves at the Universalist church this evening will be free, and the public should turn out to hear what the state forester has to say on the subject.

Regular meeting of the Lumbers', Boxers' and Derrickmen's union to be held at Carpenters' hall Wednesday evening, January 12, at 7:30 o'clock. Election of officers. Per order corresponding secretary, T. R. Holder.

Dreamland has a Biograph today, "A Sunny Italy." It is a case of where the other fellow won out in a suit for a certain girl. What the rejected actor tries to do and finally does is exciting and very interesting. The travel picture was much appreciated last night. The song is taking well.

BARRE CUTTERS  
ADOPT RESOLUTION

To Present to Manufacturers Relative  
to Resumption of Work in Barre,  
Irrespective of Other  
Places.

Eleven hundred granite cutters of Barre branch, in session at the opera house this afternoon, adopted well-nigh unanimously a set of resolutions to present to the Barre Granite Manufacturers' association, looking to a resumption of work in Barre after the eight weeks' shutdown. The resolutions were the same as were adopted by the Italian section of the union at their meeting this forenoon.

These resolutions will be presented to the manufacturers as soon as possible to see if the Barre manufacturers will settle, irrespective of other places in Washington county.

Barre branch, G. C. I. A., held a two-hour meeting in the opera house yesterday afternoon, but no action was taken on any matter. One resolution was offered, but because of the rule that all remarks on the floor must be in English, some confusion arose among the Italian-speaking members who did not fully understand the purport of the motion, and they broke out in a vigorous protest. At the same time, two dogs, which had strayed into the hall, got into a fight, increasing the confusion. At this point, the chair dismissed the meeting.

Previous to this afternoon's meeting, the Italian members of the union held a meeting of their own this forenoon at 10 o'clock. This was for the purpose of explanation, so that they would be better prepared to act when they went into this afternoon's meeting.

MERCHANTS ELECT  
FOR ENSUING YEAR

C. S. Andrews Chosen President of the  
Association at the Annual Meet-  
ing Held Last Even-  
ing.

The annual business meeting and election of officers of the Merchants' association was held last evening and the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, C. S. Andrews; vice-president, Frank W. Jackson; treasurer, Noble S. Love; directors, J. W. Vaughan, Homer Pitts, Frank McWhorter, B. W. Hooker and E. A. Prindle; grievance committee, B. A. Eastman, Homer C. Ladd and George N. Tilden; auditors, W. G. Reynolds, W. W. Childer, P. D. Ladd. No other business was transacted at the meeting, besides the reading of the reports of the officers and committees.

In announcing the illness of Chief Judge Rowell, Judge Minson stated that while the ailment was not severe it was not thought advisable for the chief judge to venture away from home at present.

In view of the fact that these cases were put over until next term, the January term took final adjournment this forenoon, making an extremely short session. The January term opened just a week ago to-day, and a recess was taken during the latter part of the week, because there was no business ready.

## PUBLICLY INSTALLED.

Manchester United Odd Fellows' Officers  
Placed in Position.

A public installation with a musical program and ending with a dance was enjoyed at Knights of Columbus hall last evening when the officers of Green Mountain lodge, Manchester Unity of Odd Fellows, were inducted into office. The work of installation was performed by District Deputy David Jull, assisted by Provincial Conductor Joseph Graham. The work was done in a manner which showed a thorough familiarity on the part of the deputy and conductor with the ritual of installation.

The officers installed are: Noble grand, Peter Gorman; vice-grand, Alexander Cordner; grand master, Samuel Sinclair; permanent secretary, Charles Oliver; treasurer, Alexander Ritchie; elective secretary, William Smith; warden, John Walker; conductor, Joseph Graham; outside guard, George Morris; inside guard, George Good; right supporter of noble grand, Forrest Charles; left supporter of noble grand, David Jull; right supporter of vice-grand, A. Ossola; left supporter of vice-grand, William Craig; right scene supporter, William Leitch; left scene supporter, Harry Farrar; chaplain, Robert Beagrie.

At the conclusion of the work of installation, there were vocal solos by William Oliver, Miss Barbara McDonald, William Leitch and Peter Muteh, and two selections by a double quartet from the Heddling male chorus. At the conclusion of the program, the floor was cleared and dancing enjoyed until a late hour, music being furnished by an orchestra of three pieces.

## VICTORY FOR F. O. F.

Defeated Clan Gordon Cribbage Team  
Last Evening.

The second contest in the series held by the interfraternity cribbage league was held last evening between teams representing the Catholic Order of Foresters and the Clan Gordon. The Foresters defeated the clannemen at five of the eight tables.

Tierney and McLeary, C. O. F., defeated Stephen and Robertson, C. G.; Fitzgerald and Keefe, C. O. F., defeated Stewart and Craig, C. G.; Nichols and Nelson, C. O. F., defeated Peterson and Anderson, C. G.; McNulty and Lennigan, C. O. F., defeated Stewart and Milne, C. G.; Keefe and Gooen, C. O. F., defeated Brew and Cowie, C. G.; McLeod and Booth, C. O. F., defeated Nelson and LeClair, C. O. F.; Milne and Given, C. G., defeated McNulty and White, C. O. F.; Murray and Cormack, C. G., defeated Brown and O'Leary, C. O. F.

The next match is scheduled for tomorrow evening, between the teams representing the Manchester Unity and Red Men. All Red Men that have given their names to play in the cribbage league are requested to meet at Painters' hall at 6:30 Wednesday evening for their first match.

JUDGE TOO ILL  
TO ATTEND

Therefore Supreme Court  
Was at a Standstill

## TWO CASES CONTINUED

Two Important Cases Were to Have  
Been Heard in Vermont Court  
To-day, But They Were  
Set Along.

Because of the slight illness of Chief Judge John W. Rowell, which seemed to necessitate his remaining at home in Randolph, there was a halt in the Vermont supreme court, which reconvened this forenoon after the Sunday recess. Judge Rowell, who is 75 years old and has been on the supreme bench for twenty-eight years, is suffering merely from a cold and will probably be able to get outdoors within a short time.

The case known as the White River Junction case, in which an order for the remodeling of the railroad station there, together with the changing of the tracks somewhat, was to have been heard this afternoon, but the lawyers who were engaged in it wished for a full bench. Therefore, the case was continued to the February term of the court, and will be heard on Friday, February 4.

The lawyers in the case were all present, and the briefs were on the table, when the matter of continuance was brought up. There were H. H. Powers for the Central Vermont railroad, John Young for the Boston & Maine, Alex. Dunsnett and J. G. Harvey for the town of Hartford, and Attorney General John G. Sargent representing the state. Ex-Congressman Powers made the move to ask for a continuance, and the others lawyers agreed, although Mr. Dunsnett said that he probably could not be present at the opening of the February term, because he would have to be in New York state on habeas corpus proceedings.

Another case which was put over because of the absence of Chief Judge Rowell was that of David